



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re U.S. Patent Application of:)
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MARK J. DOTY, et al.)
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Application No.: 09/945,374)
) Examiner: Rachel M. Bennett
Filed: August 31, 2001)
) Group Art Unit: 1615
For: PREMIXED AMIODARONE)
PARENTERAL SOLUTION AND)
METHOD FOR MAKING THE)
SAME)

**AMENDMENT AND REPLY
IN ACCORDANCE WITH 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

MAIL STOP FEE AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This Reply is submitted in response to the Official Action mailed September 24, 2003, Paper No. 9. The original period for response is a shortened statutory period of three-months from the mailing date of the Official Action making this Response due by December 24, 2003. This Reply is being submitted within one month after the three month shortened statutory time period. Accordingly, submitted herewith is a Petition for A One Month Extension of Time and the appropriate fee.

This Amendment and Reply is being submitted in a form which complies with revised 37 C.F.R. 1.121. Accordingly, all pending claims are identified by number and appropriate status identifier.

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